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POWER MANAGEMENT CONTROL FOR SERIAL

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10

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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.